



*Embassy of the United States of America*

*The Ambassador*

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Dear American Representative:

The successful recent election of a four-year government in Iraq has demonstrated the extent of the country's democratic transformation, while its dynamic internal market is stirring. In the past two years, 23,000 new businesses were registered, and per capita income has doubled. The economy will likely grow at double-digit rates in 2006. Improvements in security and the commercial infrastructure are providing tangible results.

Given the political and economic headway achieved by the Iraqi people in the past months and the bright prospects ahead, there is no better moment for your firm to begin or expand its role in the private sector-led phase of Iraq's redevelopment than at **REBUILD IRAQ 2006**, in Amman, Jordan, May 8-11. The third edition of this successful trade show and conference will be the largest and most comprehensive Iraq reconstruction event ever, and the only one in a crowded field to be certified by the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Top international firms from every infrastructure and services sector will be exhibiting, while thousands of Iraqi businesspersons and key procurement officials will be looking for products or partners to contribute to Iraq's economic expansion. The concurrent conference organized by AmCham Jordan will be of particular interest, likely attracting key economic figures in Iraq's new administration, who will share their visions for their ministries.

For the first time, the U.S. Pavilion within **REBUILD IRAQ 2006**, one of 35 national contingents, is being organized by Kallman Worldwide. Learn more about the show at [www.rebuild-iraq-expo.com](http://www.rebuild-iraq-expo.com) and consider reserving a booth in the U.S. pavilion with Kallman's Project Manager, Ms. Gerri Cozic, at telephone number (201) 251-2600, or email: [gerric@kallman.com](mailto:gerric@kallman.com).

There is no more meaningful private sector enterprise to participate in today than the building of a new Iraq. And since no other country in the region has more business generating potential than Iraq, participating in this event is also a shrewd investment. I encourage you to join us at **REBUILD IRAQ 2006** and thank you for your engagement.

Sincerely,

Zalmay Khalilzad